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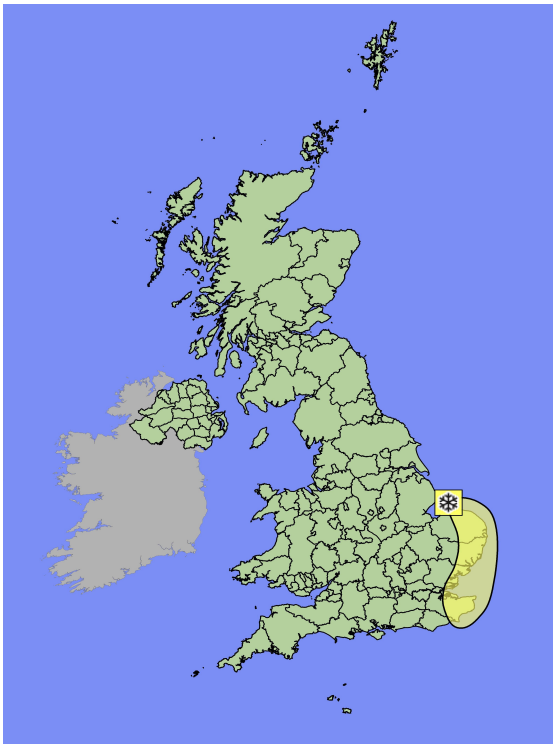

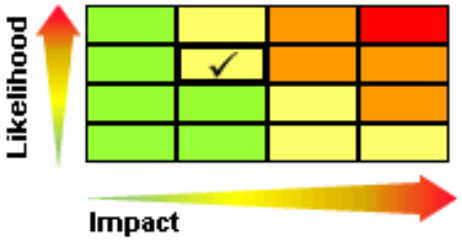

Chief Forecasters Assessment
The snow is associated with a cold front moving westwards into England from the North Sea. The main uncertainty in the forecast concerns how far west the front will get before the snow dies out. So easternmost parts of Kent, Suffolk and Norfolk are most vulnerable to disruption.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert** of **Snow**

Valid from **15:00 on Fri, 03rd Feb 2012** until **11:00 on Sat, 04th Feb 2012**

A band of snow moving into eastern England from the North Sea is expected to give accumulations of 2cm or so quite widely, and perhaps 5cm in places. Although timing is uncertain the snow is likely to be most widespread and heaviest late on Friday evening. After midnight it will tend to die out, but untreated roads may remain icy well into Saturday morning. The public are advised that some travel disruption may result.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

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